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Dear Examiner Newhouse:

We are enclosing an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2005.

Thank you in advance for your consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

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### AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows: